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**REQUEST FOR CORRECTED NOTICE
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August 18, 2005

Sir:

A corrected Notice of Acceptance of Application is respectfully requested for the above-identified application.

In the Notice of Acceptance of Application, receipt of the Preliminary Amendment filed on March 31, 2005, is not acknowledged. Receipt of the Priority Documents filed in the International Bureau is also not acknowledged. Also, receipt of the copy of references cited in the International Search Report is not acknowledged. It is believed that the cited references should have been communicated

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to the USPTO since the Japanese Patent Office is the international search authority.

For the convenience of the Office, a copy of the Notice of Acceptance of Application is attached hereto with the error(s) marked in red ink. Also attached are copies of forms PCT/ISA/210 and PCT/IB/304 and a Return Receipt Postcard with the OIPE date stamp of March 31, 2005, and identifying a Preliminary Amendment.

In the event any fees are required, please charge our Deposit Account No. 111833.

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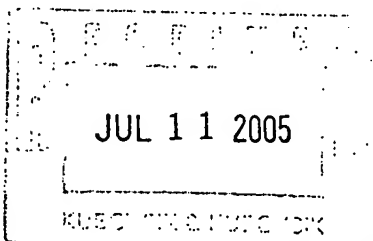
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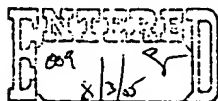
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- Non-English Language Application filed on 03/31/2005
- Specification filed on 03/31/2005
- Claims filed on 03/31/2005
- Abstracts filed on 03/31/2005
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- Priority Document filed on 3/31/2005



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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

Int.Cl⁷ C08G63/85, B32B27/36, C08L67/02

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

Int.Cl⁷ C08G63/00-63/91, C08L67/00-67/02

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Jitsuyo Shinan Koho	1926-2003	Toroku Jitsuyo Shinan Koho	1994-2003
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Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	WO 02/44275 A1 (Toray Industries, Inc.), 06 June, 2002 (06.06.02), Page 1, lines 5 to 7; page 8, lines 2 to 5; page 29, lines 2 to 4, 26 to page 30, line 15	45-47, 49-52
A	& EP 1264859 A1	48
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Title of Invention: POLYESTER RESIN COMPOSITIONS, CATALYST FOR POLYESTER PRODUCTION, POLYESTER FILM, AND MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM

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☒ PCT Application Transmittal (35 U.S.C. 371) ☐ Declaration & Power of Attorney

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☒ English Translation of Specification, Claims & Abstract (114 pages)

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Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the papers filed as indicated in connection with the above-identified case.

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